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January 22, 2007

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Re: NEWBURYPORT - Solid Wastes/COR

Crow Lane Landfill Construction Plan Approval

FMF No. 39545

Dear Attorney Nylen:

The Massachusetts Department of Environmental Protection, Northeast Regional Office, Bureau of Waste Prevention, Solid Waste Section (the "MassDEP") has reviewed the document titled "Plan for Sequenced Closure and Capping" (the "Final Landfill Capping Plan") for the Crow Lane Landfill in Newburyport, Massachusetts. The Final Landfill Capping Plan was submitted pursuant to paragraph 1(m) of the preliminary injunction entered in Suffolk Superior Court, Civil Action No. 06-0790 C, on October 20, 2006 (the "Order") for the Crow Lane Landfill in Newburyport, Massachusetts. The Final Landfill Capping Plan, dated December 29, 2009, was prepared and submitted to the MassDEP on behalf of your client, New Ventures LLC, by SITEC Environmental ("SITEC") of Marshfield, Massachusetts by email on December 29, 2006. The Final Landfill Capping Plan modifies previous drafts of the plan that were submitted to MassDEP by SITEC on October 12, 2006 (via email) and November 21, 2006 (by facsimile).

The Final Landfill Capping Plan contains the proposed schedule and milestones for completing the construction of the closure of the Crow Lane Landfill in accordance with the Order. MassDEP has reviewed the Final Landfill Capping Plan and approves it pursuant to paragraph 1(m) of the Order. This decision does not constitute an approval of the modified Revised Corrective Action Design received by the MassDEP on January 5, 2007 and titled:

Corrective Action Design Final Landfill Closure For Crow Lane Landfill March 17, 2006 (Revised: December 20, 2006)

If you have any questions please contact me at (978) 694-3299.

Sincerely,

This final document copy is being provided to you electronically by the Massachusetts Department of Environmental Protection.

A signed copy of this document is on file at the DEP office listed on the letterhead.

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